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DIAGNOSING THE DYNAMIC  
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SENSOR USED FOR CYLINDER-  
INDIVIDUAL LAMBDA CLOSED-LOOP  
CONTROL  
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**AMENDMENT AFTER A FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

SIR:

In response to the Final Office Action of May 20, 2008, please reconsider the  
above-identified application based on the following.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which  
begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 5 of this paper.